

Houses Wanted

One of the most pressing demands of the times in this city, is for good and comfortable dwellings, buildings that while they are suitable for an ordinary family, are yet of moderate cost, and can be rented low. There are a great many eastern people in town and more are coming. If they can be induced to stay here a few months, many of them will remain permanently. But they are accustomed to comfortable houses, and unless such can be had at reasonable figures, they are apt to drift away from us before they have staid long enough to fully appreciate the beauties of our climate, and the peculiar excellences of Los Angeles as a place of residence. Private capital and enterprise do not seem adequate to supplying the demand and we suggest that the only way to speedily solve the problem, is to form a Building Association with sufficient capital to put up a number of neat and tasty cottages. If some of our largest real estate owners would make a move in this direction, we believe they could enlist the aid of capital, and in a very short time could have fifty or a hundred buildings ready for occupation, every one of which could be rented at once at remunerative rates, or sold at a handsome advance upon cost. If such an enterprise were soon started, we have no doubt that much of the stock would be taken by our mechanics to be paid in labor, and that many of them would in this way secure a home and become permanently identified with the place. Dealers in lumber and other materials would also be interested, and if our own citizens would take hold and show their faith in the future of our city, eastern capital could be secured to aid in extending the enterprise. An energetic move in this direction would very shortly work a marked improvement in the appearance of the place, and while it would reduce the cost of living, it would enhance the value of real estate and increase our population. We hope that those interested in the continued prosperity of the town will give the subject their earnest attention, and either in this manner, or by some other means remove what is a very serious obstacle to the progress of Los Angeles.

HORACE A. HIGLEY died in San Francisco, on the 24th inst. Deceased was a native of Florida, and held the position of Surveyor General of California, during the terms of Governors' Weller and Downey. When the rebellion broke out, General Higley joined the south, and for several years served on the staff of General Morgan. He was captured during Morgan's celebrated raid in Ohio, and spent about a year in the Ohio penitentiary. General Higley was a genial gentleman, and had hosts of friends wherever known.

The People's Convention.

Colonel Warner called the meeting to order. General W. Houston was elected President and Mr. Eberly Secretary. General Boughton announced the purposes of the meeting, and on Mr. Dockweller's motion the nomination of candidates for Councilmen was begun; and on motion of Colonel Warner each of the following were separately for its own candidates. The following is the vote as it was cast:

THIRD WARD.
Mr. Sabich.....16
Judge Thompson.....17
Mr. McCarty.....5
Ed. Huber.....15
Jesse Farrell.....5

SECOND WARD.
Mr. Robinson.....20
Mr. Reed.....19

FIRST WARD.
Andrew Warner.....19
J. E. Gerkins.....17
It will thus be seen that Messrs. Sabich, Robinson, Warner and Gerkins, are the proper candidates for Councilmen.

For School Trustees, the following vote was cast:
H. D. Barrows.....42
M. Krenmer.....43
J. P. Widney.....35
W. D. Gould.....20
B. L. Peel.....19
Thus Messrs. Barrows, Krenmer, and Widney, were nominated.
For City Assessor the following vote was cast:
Win. Denison.....26
Michael Madigan.....18
Mr. McMurray.....17
Mr. Mondran.....17
Thus Wm. Denison was nominated. On motion the meeting adjourned.

The People's Convention was a complete success last night. There is scarcely one name from the ticket which we would have changed. They are all honest men; yes, all of them; men who would add new life to the city government, and stir up the old dry bones of the people of Los Angeles, who live a decade in the past. Wake up, realize it, work for it—a city of 30,000 inhabitants in a half dozen years.

Attorney General Williams has decided in the case of an ex-officer in the United States Army who resigned to join the rebellion and who puts in a claim for back pay, said officer's disabilities having been removed by Congress, that the act of such removal relates exclusively to the right to hold office, and that the joint resolution of Congress making it unlawful to pay any dues that existed prior to April, 1861, to any person sustaining the rebellion, remains in full force, and as the claim is one of those described therein it cannot be paid.

Why does the Postoffice spell Los Angeles, Los Angeles? Shall our Postmaster go to school?

It is suggested that a large fog horn be placed on the top of St. Paul's for the guidance of London pedestrians.

Late Telegrams.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—M. Quesada and Carlos del Castillo publish a card, stating that they are the only representatives of the Republican Government of Cuba abroad; that a collection of funds for suffering Cubans is without their authority and against the commands of their Government, and condemning all attempts to enlist men as being in direct violation of the laws of the land.

James H. Ingersoll, convicted on Wednesday of forgery upon the county during the ring rule, was sentenced today to 5 years in the State prison at hard labor.

Joe D. Farrington, Jr., convicted of the same offense, was sentenced to 18 months imprisonment.

Sheriff Brennan has received a letter from Attorney General Barlow, earnestly demonstrating against the indulgence shown Tweed in keeping him at the Tombs, when, according to the requirements of law, he should be sent to the penitentiary. Tweed ate a Thanksgiving dinner in the Tombs with his family.

General Butler is the last person whose name has been added to Tweed's counsel.

It is said Judge Fancher has granted an *ex parte* order to show cause whether there should not be a stay of proceedings in the cases of Ingersoll and Farrington, convicted of forgery.

In the case of Wm. J. Sharkey, condemned for murder, who had been granted a new trial was called today in the Supreme Court and an order entered of non-appearance.

It is rumored that Porter will command the West India squadron. Orders have been issued to recruit the Marine Corps to the standard fixed by law.

The small-pox is very severe at Toronto.

In that city, Alexander MacKenzie, Premier, has been elected to represent the county of Compton.

The Wall Street market is excited by a reduction of Bank of England rates to six per cent. on account of a gain of £1,000,000 billion by the bank, the advance in five-twenty-fives in London and a decline in money 4 1/2 per cent. in open market, and by the more peaceful reports of the Spanish question.

All this causes a buoyant feeling on exchange. Prices have advanced in leading shares one-half to three-quarter per cent., with large dealings in the afternoon. The change was brought about by realizations in the Stock Exchange and vague rumors about Sickles leaving Madrid.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—John Morris, Executive Clerk of the United States Senate, formerly editor of the *Charleston Herald*, and of the *Charleston Herald*, died at his residence last night.

Henry Young, alias Charles Williams, a young colored man, convicted of the murder of Frank Hahn, was hanged today in the jail yard.

There is great activity in the Navy Department today. The Secretary has returned and had conference with several heads of bureaus. Large numbers of officers are being ordered to duty. There is great unwillingness to give information at the present stage of negotiations, although it has been repeatedly denied that General Sickles has left Madrid for Paris, and that the Virginian has been scuttled. Reports are persistently circulated today, and believed by many with reluctance, that official conversation on the subject is regarded as calculated to lessen the hope of a speedy attainment of a peaceful solution of the difficulty, but at present nothing official has been made known to warrant a definite statement concerning it.

KENTUCKY.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 28.—A fearful tragedy occurred at Harrodsburg, yesterday, a trial suit in which P. B. Thompson Sr., was principal on one side, and Theodore Davis Sr., on the other, was in progress, and each principal was attended during the whole trial by his sons, fully armed. At the conclusion of the testimony, and while the lawyers were preparing instructions preparatory to commencing argument, a son of Thompson and a son of Davis moved towards the door, followed by all the others, and in a moment firing commenced, by which party it is not known. Many shots were fired. Davis Sr., and his son Larry were instantly killed. Theodore Davis Jr., was mortally wounded, and has since died. P. B. Thompson Sr., and his two sons, P. B. Jr., and J. B., were slightly wounded.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BOSTON, Nov. 28.—The Fall River Manufacturers' Board of Trade have decided from and after December 1st to run the mills eight hours a day on five days, and seven hours on Saturdays; but should times continue to improve as they have done during the past two or three weeks, it is believed all the mills will be running on full time by January.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Ex-Governor and Ex-Senator Richard Yates of Illinois died suddenly last night at Barnum's Hotel, St. Louis. Governor Yates was 55 years of age.

ST. JOSEPH, Nov. 28.—Holders of first mortgage bonds of the St. Joseph and Denver Railroad have instituted suit for the purpose of closing the mortgage on the road, and selling the road and its land. The amount of February to August interest of 1873, due and unpaid, is \$900,000; the amount of bonds is \$7,000,000.

FOREIGN NEWS.

PARIS, Nov. 28.—The following dispatch just arrived in cipher from the New York Herald's correspondent in Madrid: The situation is a grave one. On the 19th inst. General Sickles, by order of President Grant, delivered a formal ultimatum to President Castelar demanding prompt and vigorous reparation for insult to the United States flag, restoration of the Virginian and release of surviving prisoners; indemnity to families of the murdered, and punishment of the murderers; also guarantee against further outrages in Cuba. The demand was couched in a kind and sympathetic tone, but no alternative given, and General Sickles was also instructed to say that if Castelar did not comply with the demand in a week he should ask for his passport, and leave Madrid with the Legation. The time expires today, and no answer has yet been received. Everything at the Legation is packed up ready for immediate departure. Sickles has no hope that the ultimatum will be complied with, and he telegraphed to Paris yesterday to

have all his official correspondence that might be there, kept for a few days. General Sickles in conversation said he did not see how war could be averted, as Castelar can give no assurances that his orders will be obeyed.

In Cuba public feeling is also opposed to concession. Unless Castelar responds this evening General Sickles will leave immediately. All the American ships in the Mediterranean have been ordered to Key West. In the event of General Sickles leaving, the British Minister will probably precede the arrival of American residents. President Castelar is personally anxious to accept the British Minister's good offices to effect a compromise, but there is no hope to-night.

MADRID, Nov. 27.—Cartagena was bombarded eight hours yesterday by land batteries. The town and the men-of-war replied with vigor. The outlying fort, Don Juan, was silenced by the fire of the besiegers. It is reported that its commandant and several other officers were killed. The insurgent fleet in the harbor got up steam today, for what purpose has not yet been made known. The following is official: Minister of Interior, Duke de Broglie; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Duke de Cazes; Minister of Finance, Magne; Minister of Justice, de Pierre; Minister of War, General Dubanier; Minister of Marine, Admiral de Narbonne; Minister of Instruction and Worship, Fountin; Minister of Public Works, de Lary; Minister of Commerce and Agriculture, de Seligny.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 27.—The steamship *Konink Wilhelm*, from New York, which arrived at Southampton on the 24th inst., on route for Bremen, has gone ashore near Nieuwe Diep, on the coast of Holland. The passengers are safe. Two tugs are trying to haul her off. It is expected she will have to be unloaded before she can get afloat.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Bullion in the Bank of England has increased £1,065,000. The bank's rate of discount is reduced to six per cent. The Rothschilds announce a Russian five per cent. loan of 75,000,000 francs.

HAVANA, Nov. 28.—People here are unanimous against any reparation and against giving up the Virginian no matter what the Government of Spain may do.

PACIFIC COAST TELEGRAMS.

San Francisco.

Sentences of Captain Clarke and His Mate. Trustees Elected. Small-Pox. Cannibal Bones Recovered. A Russian Gets Justice. Fire at Rocklin. Vallejo a County Seat. Regatta. Races. Volcanic Eruption.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—After a very extended review of the testimony in all cases of officers of the ship *Sunrise*, the United States Circuit Court today sentenced Captain Clarke to the county jail 14 months, and to pay a fine of \$1,000. Harris, the first mate was sentenced to the State prison without hard labor for four years, and the second mate, Maloney, to 60 days in the county jail.

D. L. McDonald, J. A. Pritchard, O. A. Bogart, T. J. Shackelford and S. M. Day have been elected Trustees of the Kentucky Mining Company.

The Health officer reported 16 cases of small pox in the city.

Henry Simpson, a gambler, paid a fine of \$154 today.

Twelve divorces were granted by the 19th District Court today.

T. Moreno, one of the Vasquez gang, convicted at Salinas of murder in the second degree, was sentenced to the State prison for life.

A dispatch from Rocklin says the round-house of the C. P. R. R., at that place, was burned this morning, with nine locomotives and about the same number of cars. The town narrowly escaped destruction.

The election for the removal of the county seat of Solano county to Vallejo, was decided in favor of the latter city.

In the boat regatta today, the Riverside, of Sacramento, declined to enter for the reason that the race with the Pioneers did not come off.

In the rowing regatta today, Brown, of this city, took one race, and Stephenson the other.

The four mile trotting race at Agricultural Park, between Cassius M. and Romeo, was won by the former.

The trotting race between Sam Purdy and St. James was very exciting. Purdy took the first heat, and St. James the second. In the third heat St. James lost a shoe and ran clear around the track. The judges gave the heat to Purdy but declared the bet "off."

A volcano has broken out in Pinto mountains ten miles east of Eureka Nevada; a heavy black smoke is constantly issuing from the crater. Several gentlemen visited the place and brought back specimens of lava which had been thrown out.

A fire occurred this evening on Stockton street, loss about \$1,000.

It is reported that the friends of Captain Clarke, and his first mate Harris, a number of sea captains and merchants will prepare a memorial to President Grant asking for remission of the penalty pronounced in their cases by the United States Circuit Court today.

William Gorber, a sailor, fell from the mainyard of the bark *Madeline*, at North Point, this afternoon and struck on the deck, receiving injuries which the surgeon says will probably prove fatal.

The Sheriff of Monterey county arrived in the city to-night with Theodore Moreno, one of the Vasquez gang, en route to the State Prison.

Marlin Gleason was arrested to-night for insanity.

There were 43 deaths from scarlatina during the month, but physicians say the disease is decreasing.

STOCKTON.

Exciting Trotting Race. A Driver Horsewhipped and Ruled Out.

STOCKTON, Nov. 28.—At the Garden race course in trotting yesterday mile heats 3 in 5, there were three entries—Hazard, Culver and Snowstorm. The race was closely contested, and considerable money staked. Culver won the first two heats when the backers of Hazard demanded a new driver, and the third and fourth heats were won by Hazard. Owing to the darkness, the race was postponed until today. This afternoon horses got the word. Culver was in the lead all around, but was closely pressed on the home stretch by Hazard, when Snowstorm indulged in a run, passed Hazard, running over his leg, and pocketing him, thus giving Culver the heat. As Snowstorm passed the judges' stand, his driver, Charley Blood, was greeted with curses and a shower of missiles, and the driver of Hazard, without dismounting from his sulkey, commenced a vigorous chastisement with a horsewhip. Snowstorm was run like a quarter horse to avoid this punishment, but Hazard's driver followed him to the quarter pole, playing the whip over face, head and shoulders without mercy, the crowd crying out "Kill him!" "Give it to him!" etc. The judges gave the heat, race and money to Culver, and severely reprimanded the driver of Snowstorm and ruled him off the track for a year.

MARTINEZ.

To be Hanged.—Found Guilty of Manslaughter.

MARTINEZ, Nov. 28.

In the Fifteenth District Court, today, the following proceedings were had: Marshall Martin was sentenced to be hanged on Friday, January 23, 1875. The prisoner had been tried at the April term, for the murder of Valentine Eklund, committed in November, 1872, on Marsh Creek, and indicted jointly with Elizabeth Eklund, wife of the victim, and who is now in the Insane Asylum. He was sentenced to be hanged on the 27th of June, 1873, but his case was taken to the Supreme Court, and after argument, the judgment of the lower court was sustained and sentence ordered to be pronounced.

The case of Henry Ploger, charged with the murder of George Muth, at San Pablo on the 10th of August last, was submitted to the jury after a very able charge by Judge Dwinelle, who, after being out fifty minutes, returned a verdict of manslaughter. The prisoner was ably defended by Eli R. Chase. Sentence will be pronounced to-morrow.

SACRAMENTO.

Arrested for Rape.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 28.—Baicello Fiugli, a native of, and recently arrived from Italy, was arrested today on a charge of rape on the person of Francesca Richea, a child of eight years of age, the daughter of an Italian violinist. Medical examination has been made which proves the offense. Fiugli will be examined in the Police Court to-morrow.

SAN DIEGO.

General Crook on a Tour of Inspection. A Whisky Murder.

SAN DIEGO, Nov. 28.—The Tucson *Arizona* of the 22d says General Crook, on a tour of inspection, arrived at Stockton yesterday. Toney Griswold shot and killed his brother George with a Henry rifle at Camp Grant, both under the influence of liquor.

NEVADA.

Accident.—Miraculous Escape.

GOLD HILL, Nov. 28.—About 6 o'clock last night William Grant, while waiting for the passenger train to go to Virginia City, accidentally stepped off the platform, falling a distance of five feet, breaking his hip.

About 8 o'clock this morning three men, including the foreman of the Silver Hill mine, in Lower Gold Hill, met with a most miraculous escape from death. They had barely stepped on the cage, at the top of the shaft, when they were precipitated with great rapidity to the water in the sump at bottom, a distance of 350 feet. Notwithstanding the imminent danger in which the party were involved, Mr. Ford, foreman, had sufficient presence of mind to throw up one side of the cage, thereby preventing them from being buried under 1,200 feet of wire cable weighing at least a ton. His prompt action in the matter saved the lives of the entire party. The men, who were in the central compartment of the shaft, escaped drowning by crawling through into the pump compartment, from whence they were hoisted to the surface.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CALISTOGA, Nov. 28.—This morning was cool and cloudy and it commenced to rain at noon. Thermometer 61°. Still raining; farmers rejoicing over it. They were anticipating a dry season.

MENDOCINO CITY, Nov. 28.—Rain commenced falling about 2 o'clock this morning and continued all day; still raining hard; prospects prospects good for a freshet.

Schooner Light Wing is at anchor here.

POINT ARENAS, Nov. 28.—Several hours rain fell during the night, and it has continued during the day with a heavy sky. Wind southeasterly with a moderate breeze.

PORTLAND, Nov. 28.—Dr. Glas has been sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, for manslaughter, in causing the death of Mary E. Hardman by abortion.

PACIFIC COAST ITEMS.

San Bernardino wants a fire engine.

Carey, of Solano county, is importing Shetland ponies.

Mare Island is to be supplied with water from Vallejo by pipes under the straits.

A survey is being made for a narrow-gauge railroad from Palisade to Eureka, Nev.

The survey of the Stockton and Lone narrow-gauge railroad is completed twenty-one miles east of Stockton on an air line.

Gilroy is full of strangers. A company of twelve arrived last week direct from Kentucky for the purpose of engaging in the cultivation of tobacco.

Grading on the Texas and Pacific is progressing, quite briskly at San Diego. There has been more work done this month than ever before in the same length of time.

Several persons in Santa Clara county have engaged recently in the business of silk culture. They have on hand now large quantities of cocoons and silkworm eggs, which are awaiting market.

The "Prayer" wheat is said to be the best variety grown in California. It came from Chile. It is remarkably white in color, producing more wheat and less off than any other variety.

The last rain came down in such a volume in the Cajon, says the *San Diego Herald*, that windmills were swept away. One harrow was carried three miles. The Cajon will be on its metal in the wheat yield this year.

The San Diego races bid fair to be exciting. Irene Harding who won the two mile running race, and Target who won the mile race at Los Angeles, are entered. The Santa Barbara horse Dirigo (Harry Lazarus) will put in an appearance and try for trotting honors.

The San Diego and Arizona Military Telegraph has been down since Sunday night. During the last four or five days some very violent sand storms have occurred on the desert and it is probable that the line is either broken or buried up in the sand.

The Stockton *Herald* contradicts the killing of Everett Rabbit by an accident on the Southern Pacific Railroad. There was no such accident, and Rabbit himself caused the item to get into the papers to mislead his wife.

The work of grading the road-bed of the Benicia Narrow-Gauge is progressing more favorably. The graders have reached what is known as the "long bridge," four miles from Benicia. They are on level ground now, and they are expected to make much better progress.

Messrs. Gage & Wightman deny Mr. Chamberlain's assertion to their discredit, in toto. Mr. Chamberlain has left for the east, a strange way of backing up his accusations. "True Hurd's" leg is still in the state, a swelling having formed at the fetlock which will probably burst in a few days and the horse will then be relieved.

The steamer *Gipsy*, which has been running between San Francisco and San Diego and has ports, carrying combustibles, has been withdrawn temporarily from the line. Such material will have to be transported in schooners, as in days of yore, until the steamer is put back on the line. When that will be we have been unable to learn.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

3,839—Fischer vs. Bergall—On motion of Glassell, and filing of stipulation, submitted on briefs on file.

3,945—Metzler vs. Child—Same. Submitted on briefs on file.

3,946—Harris vs. Burns—Submitted on briefs on file.

3,833—Daley vs. Cox—Same.

3,935—Meek vs. McClure—Continued; no appearance.

Pico vs. Coleman—On motion of Highton, placed at the foot of the calendar.

3,988—Fuller vs. Baker—Submitted on briefs on file.

3,955—Wilbur vs. Washburn—On motion of Howard, and stipulation on file, cause submitted on briefs on file.

3,972—Metzler vs. Johnson—On motion of Dunlap, and filing Clerk's certificate, appeal dismissed.

Application of Stephen H. Phillips—On motion of Cobb and production of license from the Supreme Court of the United States, evidence of good moral character appearing, ordered that S. H. Phillips be admitted to practice as an attorney and counselor at law in all the Courts of this State.

3,930—Romero vs. Coronel—Argued by Smith for appellant; Howard for respondent, and submitted.

3,931—Keller vs. Oeana—Argued by Smith for appellant; no appearance of respondent, and submitted.

3,932—Moore vs. Los Angeles Infirmary—Argued by Smith for appellant; Brunson for respondent and submitted.

3,935—Harnszky vs. Horton—Argued by Highton for appellant; Dunlap for respondent and submitted.

3,882—Brunson vs. Carothers—Submitted on briefs on file.

The *Press* says that Santa Barbara soil "will grow tenpenny nails without irrigation." A typographical error, doubtless, and should read "one penny" nails. How these compositors do both things!—[Express.]

A LADY at Trenton, New Jersey, viewing the falls in the Delaware river near that place, enthusiastically exclaimed, "Oh! isn't that dam nice!"

A Canadian Justice recently sentenced a man to two years imprisonment for voting in a dead man's name.

Telegraph postal cards are used in England. They are deposited as letters and are collected hourly by carriers.

A Connecticut girl has gone insane from being kissed in the dark.

The Australian Parliament has voted by 35 to 33 to let female ratepayers vote.

BORN.

TURNER—In this city, November 23d, to the wife of Captain W. Turner, a daughter.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

C. E. HUBER announces himself as a candidate for Councilman from the Third Ward.

A. F. WALKER is a candidate for member of the Common Council from the First Ward at the coming municipal election.

FOR CITY ASSessor.

J. D. GUERRERO respectfully announces himself as a candidate for City Assessor.

NEW TO-DAY.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY TWO common play horses, suitable for Harper & Dalton, No. 81 Main street, Downey Block.

HARP & SHAMROCK
115 MAIN STREET.
Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars. nov28

REMOVAL.

LOS ANGELES UPOULTRY MARKET.

WE HAVE THIS DAY MOVED to E. H. H. brick building on Main street, next door to Johnson's Meat Market, where we will always keep on hand, as before, all wholesale and retail.

Fresh and Cooking Butter, Fresh Eggs, Chickens, Ducks, Turkeys, Geese, and all kinds of wild game.

LOS ANGELES HONEY, in crates or kegs, in quantities to suit, and All kinds of Fruit and Vegetables.

COMMISSION AND SHIPPING of general country produce. Fruit, or game cleaned and dressed to order at a moment's notice, and delivered to any part of the city, free of charge.

After the 1st of December we will receive, in every morning train, a supply of fresh butter and eggs from California and Los Angeles. We will be pleased to see our old customers, and solicit new ones, and will always endeavor to give perfect satisfaction.

EUGENE GERMAIN, Manager. nov29

GREAT COST SALE.

BOOKS, STATIONERY, ETC., AT THE NEW BOOK STORE, UNDER THE LAFAYETTE HOTEL.

A. C. SHAW & CO., Respectfully announces to the people of Los Angeles that they have received from the publishers of MISCELLANEOUS, SCHOOL and BLANK BOOKS, STATIONERY of every description, BOOKS, etc., etc., which they will sell for THIRTY DAYS.

AT COST FOR CASH! The public will find it to their advantage, to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Railroad Excursion!

Under the auspices of the PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.

Wilmington to Los Angeles, LOS NIETOS STATION.

New Railroad, Thursday, December 4, 1873.

Round Trip Tickets from any Station \$1

The LOS ANGELES BRASS BAND will accompany the Excursion and furnish music. Order of the Day, Judge THOMPSON, of Los Angeles.

Prof. P. C. TONNER, of Eureka, Grange. Excursionists will furnish their own edibles and join in the

HARVEST FEAST.

The train leaves Wilmington at 8 A. M., Los Angeles at 3 P. M., and return home in the afternoon at the close of the exercises.

FOUR GRANGES, in full Regalia, will accompany this train, and six from Granges are expected at Los Nietos to participate in the celebration.

Tickets can be had in Los Angeles at all the Bookstores and at the following places: J. Q. Stanley's office, No. 28 Temple Block; at the office of the Southern California Natural Aid Association, No. 41 Temple Block; at A. C. Harvey's store, Main street, and at the corner of the Polo House.

By order of the Committee. nov29

NOTICE TO ALL!

THERE ARE REMAINING UN- SOLD more than TWO HUNDRED (200) shares of the stock of the Southern California Southern District Agricultural Society.

Nearly THREE HUNDRED shares have been taken, upon which there have been paid 50, or 55 per share on 18 assessments. The object of the society is the improvement of blood and other stock, and the advancement of the interests of Southern California.

It is desirable that the farmers, manufacturers, stock raisers, mercantile men, and others should be members of the society.

So the members thereof can invite and request all such to purchase one or more shares, and to contribute to the share, and an entrance lodge for himself and family into the society, and to receive entertainments given. Persons desiring to do so, may pay 50c, and get a paid-up share.

The society has recently invited our farmers to become members.

By order of the Society, nov29

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ELIGIBLE POETRY.

After all, we must look to the country for the poetry. The country is a vast, unexplored field, and it is not a steady thing, so many things are always going on in it. Of the things we have seen, we have seen a more touching and more beautiful thing than the following, by a poet in a recent number of the Clear Lake Observer. It was inspired by the death of a young man in Brown, at Clear Lake, Iowa, Sunday evening, June 29, 1874, and is the tribute of a friend.

Frankie, the news reached me at eleven That thy soul had passed from this earth and gone to heaven. Though I knew thy soul had found its rest, It caused a sad feeling within my breast.

I knew thee when but a little child, Gentle, meek, and very mild, That some gentle spirit you carried to the just, Until the body in the lake was cast.

There you sleep in gentle slumber, The waters now are thy soft cover, We had looked on you but once in vain, But tomorrow we will look for thee again.

Yes, we will search until we find thy resting place, And can once more see thy gentle face, And when your friends have you missed, We'll try and find thee a better place to rest.

THIS AND THAT.

The New York Herald is going for Nass, Good.

Booth & Brothers, bankers of Reading, Penn., have suspended.

"Love," says an amorous writer, "is an internal transport." An exchange remarks, "The same might be said of a canal boat."

The Elliot block, Newton, Mass., owned by J. W. Bacon, was burned last night. Bacon's loss is \$50,000; insured for \$2,000. Other losses not stated.

The Signal asserts that as a corn-growing district, Santa Clara valley, Ventura county, is not surpassed by the best portions of Iowa, Illinois or Missouri.

A large number of German immigrants at New York, unable to find work, offer to work their passage back to their homes. Many have been taken back already.

The Second National Convention of the Roman Catholic Total Abstinence Society of the United States was begun in New York yesterday by a solemn High Mass.

We have been informed that the Scotland county fair consisted of a bull and a pumpkin; it is said the bull got loose and ate the pumpkin, and then they closed the fair.

A fire in New Orleans on Wednesday destroyed a square of buildings bounded by Marigny, Mandeville, Goodchild and St. Morris streets, about forty small houses. Loss about \$50,000.

LIGHTNING recently struck a telegraph pole and ran along the wire into the office at Coatsville, Ind., when the operator, seated at the instrument, excitedly telegraphed back: "Don't send so fast!"

Chamberlain, the owner of True Blue, says of him: "He will be as sound as ever in a couple of weeks, and I may have a chance to test the mettle of old Thed again some time. I shall go back to New York in a week or two, but my horse will winter here, and I am going to send out another survivor."

Captain Wm. E. Dove, having acceptedly discharged the duty assigned him of co-operating in the building of the Military Telegraph to Fort Yuma, has returned to San Diego. Captain Dove has received advice that a company at Fort Croton, California. This will bring him close to the Mojave country. He is not yet notified as to when he is to report for duty.

We have conversed recently with intelligent gentlemen from Los Angeles and San Diego in regard to the resources of Southern California and the best policy to secure their early development. All seemed to agree that the jealous rivalry so frequently evinced between the different sections of the Southern portion of the State, to say the least, is silly and childish. The prosperity of the one naturally benefits the other, advancing the development of the whole. Taking our own case, the greater the reputation Los Angeles and San Diego acquire, the more people flock to them, the greater number will catch a glimpse of Santa Barbara and her attractions, and we expect many first destined to those places to remain by the wayside and make their home among us. The best policy for us is to encourage each other, and work for the good of all Southern California.—[S. B. Times

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

Last year, as an experiment, several hundred pounds of wheat and barley were sown at the Patena on the dry ground and the seed harvested in before the rains came. The result was that the crop taken off was one-third heavier than that taken from a like area and character of land adjacent, which had been plowed and sowed as soon as possible after the rain came. Experiments of this character have fully demonstrated the important advantage of getting the seed into the ground before the rains come, and thousands of acres will be so seeded in this county this year. Messrs. Hollister, Cooper, Edwards, Silver, Barnes and others at the Patena and in that neighborhood, we learn, are adopting this method, and are hurrying in all the seed they can previous to the rain fall.

It is found that a heavy "chisel harrow" is the best to cover the seed, and we are informed that this manner of cultivation is meeting with so much favor that quite a number of these harrows have already been sold for that purpose by our dealers in agricultural implements.

The most important results to our farmers will undoubtedly follow the general adoption of this manner of seeding. Not only will there be a greatly increased yield per acre, but the safety of the crop from drought can be secured beyond all risk. The crop can be harvested earlier, and if it should happen to be a year for grasshoppers, these pests would have no opportunity to feed upon it. Besides there are some localities where a crop of corn or potatoes might follow the wheat or barley with good chances of maturity, where one crop only can be obtained. This dry seeding also offers an advantage in that the work can be done at a time when the farmers otherwise would be waiting for the rains to soften the ground for the plow.—[Santa Barbara Index.

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THREATENING A THEATRICAL MANAGER.

At the Bow Street Police Court in London, October 23d, the following letter which was received by Mr. Strange, manager of the Holborn New National Theatre, was handed to the magistrate:

13 TOTTERHAM ROAD, KINGSLAND. SIR: I, as a Catholic, emphatically protest against the re-appearance of Paray Mone, or whatever you choose to call your French humping. On tomorrow night I will stand in company of four or five hundred Catholics; and if it does appear on the stage, the consequence will be on your own head. Remember, a breach of peace you are responsible for, so in God's name do not permit it to appear. I was present on last night, and for hissing I was struck—so you will hear again from me. (Signed) MARTIN J. GARRALY.

In answer to the magistrate it was stated that the piece had been duly licensed; that in the farce there was a Pantee war tribe, and in the opera bouffe a pandemonium chorus, and that the writer perhaps had mistaken the latter for Paray Mone. The magistrate said that if the piece were properly licensed he should think it impossible even for a Roman Catholic, unless he be infallible, to stop the performance. He did not think that five hundred Catholics would be found, but should advise Mr. Strange to give notice to the police for protection. The writer could be given into custody if he attempted to enter the theatre.

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